House Resolution No. 2114

Whereas, a birthday is a special day on which an individual pauses to reflect upon triumphs of the past and looks forward to even greater accomplishments in the years ahead; and

Whereas, Rebecca Lynn Myers of Columbia, Missouri, will commemorate her Fiftieth Birthday on April 27, 2004; and

Whereas, born to Floyd and Mary Prewitt in Moberly on April 27, 1954, Rebecca Myers came into this world the same year that a United States Supreme Court decision prohibited racial segregation in public schools, novelist Evan Hunter published <u>The Blackboard Jungle</u>, and Marlon Brando stared in Elia Kazan's film On the Waterfront; and

Whereas, Rebecca Myers made her formal debut in 1954 along with such notable people as singer Stuart Leslie "Adam Ant" Goddard, actress Catherine (Bachman) Bach, and actor Denzel Washington; and

Whereas, in the half century since her birth, Becky Myers has distinguished herself by devoting her life to helping children and currently serves as Director of Project REACH (Rural EArly CHildhood), prior to which she co-founded the Moberly Parents As Teachers program, owned and operated Wee Care Day Nursery, and developed and taught at the first kindergarten program at St. Pius X School; and

Whereas, Becky Myers has been blessed with the love and support of a wonderful family whose members include her husband, Reginald J. "Reg" Myers, whom she married on January 17, 1976, at St. Pius X Church; and one daughter, Shawntay Olivia Myers, who was born December 10, 1978:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously in extending our most hearty congratulations and happy birthday greetings to Becky Myers at this significant milestone and in wishing her peace and contentment in the years to come; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Rebecca Lynn Myers.

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Representative Barbara Wall Fraser
District No. 83
I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of
Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, Second
Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and
correct copy of House Resolution No. 2114, adopted April
26, 2004.
Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker